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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 2024"

Docket No. 275754US6

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Takanori NISHIMURA

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FOR: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD, INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM AND MEDIUM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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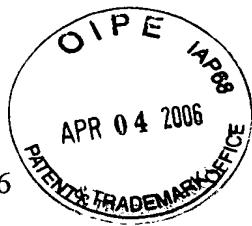
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In response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.